## Amendment No. 1 to HB1645

## <u>Lamberth</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1447\*

House Bill No. 1645

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-2-101, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

- (m) Notwithstanding subsection (b), prosecutions for any offense committed on or after July 1, 2016, that constitutes the offense of aggravated child abuse, or aggravated child neglect or endangerment, under § 39-15-402, shall commence by the later of:
  - (1) Ten (10) years after the child reaches eighteen (18) years of age; or
  - (2) The time within which prosecution must be commenced pursuant to subsection (b).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.